

HB4451



98TH GENERAL ASSEMBLY

State of Illinois

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HB4451

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SYNOPSIS AS INTRODUCED:

10 ILCS 5/11-4.2

from Ch. 46, par. 11-4.2

Amends the Election Code. Provides that no building or part of a building shall be designated or used as a polling place if spirituous or intoxicating liquor is sold anywhere on the premises.

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A BILL FOR

1 AN ACT concerning elections.

2 **Be it enacted by the People of the State of Illinois,**
3 **represented in the General Assembly:**

4 Section 5. The Election Code is amended by changing Section
5 11-4.2 as follows:

6 (10 ILCS 5/11-4.2) (from Ch. 46, par. 11-4.2)

7 Sec. 11-4.2. (a) Except as otherwise provided in subsection
8 (b) all polling places shall be accessible to handicapped and
9 elderly voters, as determined by rule of the State Board of
10 Elections.

11 (b) Subsection (a) of this Section shall not apply to a
12 polling place (1) in the case of an emergency, as determined by
13 the State Board of Elections; or (2) if the State Board of
14 Elections (A) determines that all potential polling places have
15 been surveyed and no such accessible place is available, nor is
16 the election authority able to make one accessible; and (B)
17 assures that any handicapped or elderly voter assigned to an
18 inaccessible polling place, upon advance request of such voter
19 (pursuant to procedures established by rule of the State Board
20 of Elections) will be provided with an alternative means for
21 casting a ballot on the day of the election or will be assigned
22 to an accessible polling place.

23 (c) No later than December 31 of each even numbered year,

1 the State Board of Elections shall report to the Federal
2 Election Commission the number of accessible and inaccessible
3 polling places in the State on the date of the next preceding
4 general election, and the reasons for any instance of
5 inaccessibility.

6 (d) No building or part of a building shall be designated
7 or used as a polling place if spirituous or intoxicating liquor
8 is sold anywhere on the premises.

9 (Source: P.A. 84-808.)